EXAMINING GROUP 2416 PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 11005.0147-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: | |) |
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| Lei YANG | |) Group Art Unit: 2416 |
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| Application No.: 10/577,697 | |) Examiner: Mewale A. AMBAYE |
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AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

This Amendment is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination, and satisfies the requirement for a submission as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. In reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 19, 2009, the period for response to which has been extended through October 19, 2009 by a petition for extension of time and fee payment submitted concurrently herewith, Applicant respectfully requests that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.